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Interview Summary

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Date of Interview: 29 February 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes

e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: _____.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner called the attorney of record and left a brief message in an attempt to find out the status of the case and whether there is any amendment filed in response to the office action mailed on 07/17/2007. However, the Examiner received no response.

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